

RYAN BALL

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SOFTWARE ENGINEER

Adaptable and goal-oriented software engineer with strong interpersonal and problem solving skills. My previous career as a corporate accountant taught me the value of accountability and flexibility and that I always want to take pride in my work. I am very eager and motivated to apply my personality strengths and drive to learn, to become part of a team where I can make an impact.

SKILLS

Ruby, Rails, JavaScript, Vue.js, HTML5, CSS, PostgreSQL, Git, GitHub, REST APIs, Object-Oriented Programming, Pair-Programming, Unit Testing, Test-Driven Development, Bootstrap

EDUCATION

Actualize Coding Bootcamp

Certificate in Full Stack Web Development

Mar 2021 – Jul 2021

University of Colorado at Colorado Springs

Bachelor of Science in Accounting

Graduated 2014

State of Colorado - Certified Public Accountant

Jun 2015 – Present

EXPERIENCE

Actualize Coding Bootcamp

Teaching Assistant

Jul 2021 – Present

- Supported lead instructor, providing feedback to students and answering technical questions
- Held weekly student office hours to provide support and problem-solving guidance

Web Developer

Mar 2021 – Jul 2021

- **Capstone Project - Sendero:** Personally built a full-stack web app that provides climbers with an interface for tracking, sharing, planning and graphing all things related to their climbing endeavors. Technologies used include Ruby on Rails, JavaScript, Vue.js, Mapbox JavaScript library, Google Charts, Cloudinary, Bootstrap, and RESTful API principles
- **Bootcamp:** Learned fundamentals and best practices in full-stack web development in areas of project architecture, backend, frontend, and how to effectively self-teach new technologies
 - Built and tested backed applications, created RESTful routes, incorporated external APIs
 - Built frontend applications, made web requests to local and third-party APIs, formatted and styled results, incorporated JavaScript libraries and bootstrap themes

Robert Half Salaried Professional Services

Senior Accountant | Client – Aircraft Performance Group

Apr 2020 - Dec 2020

- Built Excel spreadsheets and macros to generate monthly financial statements for management review
- Implemented processes to reduce monthly close from two weeks to five days
- Performed HR admin functions including payroll processing and benefit management

Alterra Mountain Company

Senior Accountant

Oct 2019 - Apr 2020

- Managed accounting function for three fully owned resorts
- Reviewed monthly work for 15+ employees at resorts and four direct reports at Denver office
- Created templates, macros and spreadsheets that were adopted and implemented by 11 of 16 resorts
- Mentored four direct reports, providing feedback and opportunities for growth